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3. Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney;
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This is filed in response to the Notice to File Missing Requirements under 36 U.S.C. 371 mailed December 9, 2005.

- \$200.00 application search fee;
\$100.00 application examination fee;
 \$300.00
 \$180.00 previous payment;
\$120.00 total amount due.

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

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- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 05/12/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 05/12/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 05/12/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 05/12/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 05/12/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 05/12/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 05/12/2005
- Specification filed on 05/12/2005
- Claims filed on 05/12/2005
- Abstracts filed on 05/12/2005
- Drawings filed on 05/12/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$120** for a Small Entity:

- The application search fee has not been paid. Applicant must submit **\$200** to complete the search fee. Note a surcharge will be required if submitted later than commencement of the national stage (37 CFR 1.492(h)) and the basic national fee was not paid before July 1, 2005.
- The application examination fee has not been paid. Applicant must submit **\$100** to complete the examination fee for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27. Note a surcharge will be required if submitted later than commencement of the national stage (37 CFR 1.492(h)) and the basic national fee was not paid before July 1, 2005.

(A previous payment of **\$180** will be applied to the additional fees indicated above.)

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The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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Application Data Sheet

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Application Information

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| Suggested Group Art Unit:: | |
| CD-ROM or CD-R:: | None |
| Sequence submission: | None |
| Computer Readable Form (CRF):: | No |
| Number of copies of CRF:: | None |
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| Request for Non-Publication?:: | No |
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| Secrecy Order in Patent Application?:: | No |

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